

REMARKS

Claims 18-23, 29-32, 35 and 36 are pending. By this Amendment, claims 24-28, 33, 34 and 37 are cancelled. Reconsideration and allowance in view of the following remarks are respectfully requested.

Although page 2, paragraph number 4, states that claim 29 has been withdrawn from consideration, it is respectfully noted that claim 29 depends from allowed claim 18, and it thus allowable by virtue of its dependency.

Applicants appreciate the indication that claims 18-23, 30-32, 35 and 36 are allowed. In view of the above amendments and remarks, Applicants respectfully submit that all the claims, including claim 29, are allowable and the entire application is in condition for allowance.

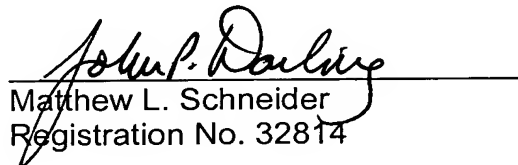
Should the Examiner believe that anything further is necessary to place the application in condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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